

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT  
New National Stage Entry Appln. of PCT/FI03/00332

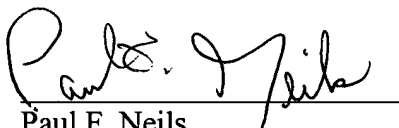
**REMARKS**

Claims 1-10 presently are pending in this application.

The foregoing amendments are made in order to remove multiple dependencies and avoid the Government surcharge, as well as make editorial changes.

Entry and consideration of this Amendment are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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